IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

CRYSTALLEX INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION,

Plaintiff,

v. Case No. 17-mc-151-LPS

BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF VENEZUELA,

Defendant.

RUSORO MINING LIMITED,

Plaintiff,

v. Case No. 21-mc-481-LPS

BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF VENEZUELA,

Defendant.

KOCH MINERALS SARL and KOCH NITROGEN INTERNATIONAL SARL,

Plaintiffs,

v. Case No. 21-mc-156-LPS

BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF VENEZUELA,

Defendant.

GOLD RESERVE INC.,

Plaintiff,

v. Case No. 22-mc-453-LPS

BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF VENEZUELA,

Defendant.

RUSORO'S RESPONSE CONCERNING EXTENSION OF TOPPING BID PERIOD

Rusoro Mining Ltd. ("Rusoro") supports the Venezuela Parties' request for an extension of the Topping Bid Period. Rusoro believes that, in light of the recent decision of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York in Girard Street Investment Holdings LLC v. PDV Holding, Inc. (S.D.N.Y. 24-cv-4448), an extension is likely to be consistent with the Court's objective of achieving a value maximizing transaction.

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Respectfully submitted,

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